

Notice of Determination

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SUBJECT: Filing of Notice of Determination pursuant to Public Resources Code section 21108

State Clearinghouse Number: 2019079111

Project Title: Bayfront Canal and Atherton Channel Flood Management and Restoration Project (Lake or Streambed Alteration Agreement No. 1600-2020-0215-R3)

Project Location (include county): The project is located just north of Highway 101 in the Cities of Redwood City and Menlo Park at the San Francisco Bay margin. The project is located in the County of San Mateo, State of California; Latitude - 37.4867, Longitude – 122.1771; Section 22, Township 5S, Range 3W, U.S. Geological Survey (USG) map Palo Alto.

Project Description: The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement number 1600-2019-0310-R3, pursuant to section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to the project Applicant, San Mateo County Sea Level Rise Resiliency District.

The Project will install bypass culverts containing four parts: (1) a lateral weir diversion structure on Bayfront Canal, (2) to parallel eight-foot wide by 5-foot tall underground box culverts, (3) an outlet structure in the South Bay Salt Pond (SBSP) S5 Forebay, and (4) increased capacity of the SBSP Pond S5 Forebay.

This is to advise that CDFW, acting as a Responsible Agency, approved the above described project on June 7, 2021, and has made the following determinations regarding the project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (i):

1. The project will not have a significant effect on the environment. This determination is limited to effects within CDFW’s permitting jurisdiction as a Responsible Agency.
2. CDFW considered the mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared by the Lead Agency for this project pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15096, subdivision (f).
3. Mitigation measures were / were not made a condition of CDFW’s approval of the project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan was / was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
5. A statement of overriding considerations was not adopted by CDFW for this project.
6. Findings were not made by CDFW pursuant to California Code of Regulations section 15091.

The mitigated negative declaration / negative declaration prepared for the project is available to the general public at the office location listed above for the Lead Agency. CDFW’s record of project approval as Responsible Agency is available at CDFW’s regional office.

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6/7/2021

Signature Craig J Weightman Date: _____

Craig J. Weightman, Environmental Program Manager

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____